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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Rao et al.) Examiner: Eric B. Fuller
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Serial No: 10/646,360) Art Unit: 1762
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Filed: August 22, 2003) Confirmation No: 8625
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For: Thermal CVD Synthesis of) Deposit Account No: 04-1403
Nanostructures)
) Customer No: 22827

AMENDMENT

Mail Stop RCE
Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 7, 2006 with regard to the above-captioned application, please find attached:

Amendments to the Claims reflected in the complete listing of the Claims beginning on page 2, and
Remarks beginning on page 8.